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vs.	Opposer,)))	Opposition No.:	91168979
Astom Co., Ltd.		ý		
	Applicant.)		

JOINT RESPONSE AND AMEMDMENT

Opposer Alstom [hereinafter "Alstom" or "Opposer"] and Applicant Astom Co., Ltd. [hereinafter "Astom" or "Applicant"], by their respective undersigned attorneys of record, hereby jointly respond to the July 5, 2007 Order of the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the application by deleting from the proposed identification of goods for International Class 1 the wording "electrodialysis machines and/or diffusion dialysis machines" and substitute in its place the following:

-- ELECTRODIALYSIS MACHINES AND DIFFUSION DIALYSIS MACHINES --

ARGUMENT

Applicant previously filed a proposed amendment to the identification of goods in accordance with a settlement agreement between the parties. The Trademark Trial and Appeal Board's July 5, 2007 Order found acceptable the proposed amendment except for the wording "electrodialysis machines and/or diffusion dialysis machines" which it deemed unacceptable because it presents a choice between two types of machines. In a

footnote to the Order, the Board suggested the wording "electrodialysis machines and diffusion dialysis machines." The above amendment adopts this suggested wording.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, the parties respectfully request the entry of the amendment to the identification of goods and the dismissal the opposition with prejudice.

Respectfully submitted,

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